

10 March 1956

MEMORANDUM FOR: MR. DULLES

SUBJECT : Personnel for Photo Interpretation.

1. This memorandum is for information only; particular attention is called to paragraph 3.

2. Bob Macy spoke to me a day or two ago about what seemed to him to be a shortage of personnel for photo interpretation in the intelligence community. He said that he and others in the Bureau had been talking recently with the heads of the intelligence services of the Department of Defense and that this seemed to be an extremely critical area. All of the intelligence chiefs apparently spoke to him about their concern over the problem.

3. He is concerned that there seems to be no central point for recruitment, training, etc., and feels that the several agencies may be competing with each other in this field. He said that he would be very glad to come over and talk with you or anyone you might like to have him see to elaborate, and thought that this might be something which you would want to discuss with the Intelligence Advisory Committee.

/s/

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